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For:

METHOD FOR GENERATING AND ALLOCATING CODE PAIRS OF

ORTHOGONAL SPREADING CODES

#### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D. C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to the initial examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

#### **IN THE CLAIMS:**

A. Please amend claims 1-17 as follows:

## Amended Claims With Mark-ups to Show Changes Made

1. (Amended) A method for allocating code pairs of orthogonal spreading codes having guard bits of 0, [said method] comprising:

generating at least one orthogonal code set based upon the orthogonal spreading

codes;

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Dear Sir:

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Transmitted herewith is a Preliminary Amendment in the above identified application.

No additional fee is required.

[] Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	26	20	6	x \$18 =	\$108.00
Independent Claims	9	. 5	4	x \$84 =	\$336.00
		If multiple claims newly presented, add \$280.00			
	Fee for extension of time				
	TOTAL FEE DUE				\$444.00

- [] Please charge my Deposit Account No. <u>16-0607</u> in the amount of \$. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- [X] A check in the amount of \$ 444.00 (Check # 6073) is attached.
- [X] The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 16-0607, including any filing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.17.

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